

Respect Wildness... Practice the 7 principles of Leave No Trace skills and ethics

- ◆ **Plan ahead and prepare:** Plan your trip carefully. Prepare for extreme weather, hazards and emergencies. Plan for the least experienced member of your party.
- ◆ **Travel and camp on durable surfaces:** Hike single file in the middle of the trail or side by side in areas without trails. Camp in hardened areas only, not in meadows or on vegetation.
- ◆ **Dispose of waste properly:** Pick up all spilled foods and trash. Disperse washing and cooking wastewater 70 adult steps (200') from camps and all water sources. Leave no evidence of your stay.
- ◆ **Leave what you find:** Leave plants, rocks, antlers and artifacts as you find them for others to enjoy.
- ◆ **Minimize campfire impacts:** Cook with a camp stove. Simply enjoy a candle lantern or the night sky.
- ◆ **Respect Wildlife:** Bear canisters are required at all backcountry campsites below treeline. Minimize noise. Avoid lakes and streams at dawn and dusk.
- ◆ **Be considerate of other visitors:** Respect the quality of every visitor's experience.

EMERGENCIES: In case of emergency, call Park Dispatch at (970) 586-1203 or 911. Map (over) shows the location of the nearest phone.

Site Location: The sites are located in a cliff-rock area 100 ft. north of the creek and 500 ft. south of the trail. A wood sign indicates the path to the sites; the path may be marked by red arrowheads on trees. Pitch tent(s) as close to the indicated site as is safely possible out of potential hazard from standing dead trees. **BEWARE: STEEP CLIFFS AND FAST-RUNNING WATER. EXTREME CAUTION IS ADVISED WHEN CAMPING WITH CHILDREN.**

Number of Sites: 2

Distance: 2.3 mi.

Privy: NO

Elevation: 8,640 ft.

Approx. Travel Time: 1 hr.

Elevation Change: 249 ft. gain

Water Source: Water is available from the East Inlet Creek. Boil or adequately treat all water.

To Reach the Trailhead (TH): East Inlet TH is located east of Grand Lake at the end of West Portal Road.

